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Mr. Michael J. O'Neil, Chief Counsel Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence House of Representatives Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Mike:

As we discussed this morning, here are copies of papers concerning H.R. 11280, the Civil Service Reform legislation:

- 1. The amendment we proposed for Title I of the bill that would except CIA and NSA from Title I except insofar as the agencies could adhere to the merit principles consistent with their present statutory authorities and responsibilities.
- 2. A paper providing backgrount information and examples on the above proposed amendment.
- 3. A copy of the amendment as introduced by Representative Derwinski on 29 June and which was adopted that same day; we hope to have the provision broadened to include the entire Chapter 1.
- 4. Copies of papers explaining our various concerns with the legislation which we provided to the Minority Counsel of the Post Office and Civil Service Committee on 7 July.

I will keep you informed of how things proceed on this.

Sincerely,

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